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Food	Limita- tion (parts per mil- lion)	Use
Aqueous multivitamin preparations.	150	With iron salts as a stabilizer for vitamin B 12 in liquid multivitamin preparations.
Canned black-eyed peas	145	Promote color re- tention.
Canned kidney beans	165	Preservative.
Canned strawberry pie filling	500	Promote color re- tention.
Cooked sausage	36	As a cure accel- erator with so- dium ascorbate or ascorbic acid.
Dressings, nonstandardized French dressing	75 75	Preservative.
Frozen white potatoes in- cluding cut potatoes.	100	Promote color re-
Gefilte fish balls or patties in packing medium.	¹ 50	Inhibit discoloration.
Legumes (all cooked canned, other than black-eyed peas).	165	Promote color re- tention.
Mayonnaise	75	Preservative.
Ready-to-eat cereal prod- ucts containing dried ba- nanas.	² 315	Promote color re- tention.
Salad dressing	75	Preservative.
Sandwich spread	100	Do.
Sauces	75	Do.

¹Based on total weight of finished product including packing medium.

(2) With calcium disodium EDTA (calcium disodium ethylenediaminetetraacetate; calcium disodium (ethylenedinitrilo) tetraacetate), in the following foods at not to exceed, in combination, the levels prescribed, calculated as anhydrous $C_{10}H_{12}O_8N_2CaNa_2$:

Food	Limita- tion (parts per mil- lion)	Use
Dressings, nonstandardized French dressing	75 75 75 75 100 75	Preservative. Do. Do. Do. Do. Do. Do.

- (3) Alone, as a sequestrant in the nonnutritive sweeteners that are listed in §180.37 of this chapter and that, in addition, are designed for aqueous solution: *Provided*, That the amount of the additive, calculated as anhydrous calcium disodium EDTA, does not exceed 0.1 percent by weight of the dry nonnutritive sweetener.
- (c) To assure the safe use of the additive:

- (1) The label and labeling of the additive container shall bear, in addition to the other information required by the act, the name of the additive.
- (2) The label or labeling of the additive container shall bear adequate use directions to provide a final food product that complies with the limitations provided in paragraph (b) of this section.
- (d) In the standardized foods listed in paragraphs (b) (1) and (2) of this section the additives are used only in compliance with the applicable standards of identity for such foods.

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§172.140 Ethoxyquin.

- (a) Ethoxyquin (1,2-dihydro-6-ethoxy-2,2,4-trimethylquinoline) may be safely used as an antioxidant for preservation of color in the production of chili powder, paprika, and ground chili at levels not in excess of 100 parts per million.
- (b) In order to provide for the safe use of the additive in feed prepared in accordance with §\$573.380 and 573.400 of this chapter, tolerances are established for residues of ethoxyquin in or on edible products of animals as follows:
- 5 parts per million in or on the uncooked fat of meat from animals except poultry.
- 3 parts per million in or on the uncooked liver and fat of poultry.
- 0.5 part per million in or on the uncooked muscle meat of animals.
- 0.5 part per million in poultry eggs. Zero in milk.

§ 172.145 Heptylparaben.

- (a) The food additive heptylparaben is the chemical n-heptyl p-hydroxybenzoate.
- (b) It may be safely used to inhibit microbiological spoilage in accordance with the following prescribed conditions:
- (1) In fermented malt beverages in amounts not to exceed 12 parts per million.
- (2) In noncarbonated soft drinks and fruit-based beverages in amounts not to exceed 20 parts per million, when standards of identity established under section 401 of the Act (21 U.S.C. 341) do not preclude such use.

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² In dried banana component of cereal product.